

# SALEM NEWS.

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## SALEM ADVERTISEMENTS.

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COLLEGE AVENUE, SALEM, VA.  
**Steam Fitters,  
Water and Gas  
Plumbers.**

Dealers in Iron, Lead and Terra Cotta  
Piping, Pumping Machinery, Pumps,  
Rubber Hoses and Packing.  
Steam Fitting a Specialty.  
Get our estimates before contracting.  
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**J. E. RICHARDSON & SON,**  
Manufacturers of hair, cotton, wool,  
palm leaf, huck and straw mattresses.  
Strictly wholesale. We also make a  
specialty of church cushions. Prices  
low and satisfaction guaranteed. P. O.  
box 326, Salem, Va. 3 5 ly

**CUT FLOWERS AND FUNERAL DESIGNS.**  
I have the exclusive sale of the cut flowers for  
Roanoke and Salem of C. Strauss & Co. Mr. T.  
F. McKen, at Christian & Barber's, will have  
charge in Roanoke and will receive orders for  
anything wanted. My greenhouses at Salem,  
Va., are well stocked with choice plants, and I  
would be pleased to have your orders outside of  
Roanoke. Telegraph me for funeral designs and  
cut flowers.  
J. SHANTZKE,  
Florist, Salem, Va.  
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SALEM, VA. 12-17

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Insurance, Real Estate and Collecting. Room  
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## TRY THE

**ROANOKE GRAVEL AND SLAG ROOF-  
ING COMPANY,**

No. 316 Salem Avenue.

For a good Slag or Gravel Roof. It  
will outwear any tin roof put on and will  
cost about one-half the price. Leaky  
roofs repaired and all work guaranteed.

**ROANOKE DRESSED BEEF CO.,**



STALL NO. 5, CITY MARKET.

N. RENSCH, Proprietor.

We buy and butcher Southwest Vir-  
ginia stock.

Our's is a home enterprise, and our  
meats are butchered in Roanoke; not in  
Kansas City, St. Louis and other West-  
ern cities.

Give us a trial. 1 8 ly

## BUILDING ASSOCIATIONS.

**Money to  
Loan.**

Inquire of the

**PEOPLES PERPETUAL  
LOAN AND BUILDING  
ASSOCIATION,**

Room 1, Masonic Temple.

**WM. F. WINCH,**  
Secretary and Treasurer.  
Jan 17

## PRACTICAL STAIR BUILDER.

**J. J. GARRY,**  
Corner Roanoke street and Salem Avenue.  
References—E. H. Stewart, Dr. J. D. Kirk,  
H. Daniel, Architects; Noland & de Housen,  
General Builders; Wilson & Hingray, T. B. W.  
ter, Contractors and Builders; J. P. Barber,  
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**THE KINDRED COAL COMPANY, E. T.**  
Kindred, president and general man-  
ager; L. L. Powell, salesman. Office  
and yard at Fishburne's mill. Phone  
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Nice delicious ox tongues.  
Roanoke Cold Storage Co.,  
Stall 5, City Market.

It is as fine an experience can pro-  
duce or money can buy. J. H. Spencer's  
Best Tobacco, manufactured by Spencer  
Bros.

TYPEWRITERS, sewing machines, etc.  
repaired at 113 Fourth Avenue S. E., ten  
years experience. JOHN ELMER.

## D. D. I. F. S.

These are the initial letters to a medical won-  
der. As human nature is heir to ill of every  
kind, and as nearly every disease enters and is  
diffused through the system by the blood, it is  
evident that if the blood is in an unhealthy con-  
dition it imparts to the body its impure state,  
and disease and death follow. There is a cure  
for impure blood, and therefore a cure for all dis-  
eases arising from it. That cure is Dr. David's  
Iodo-Perrate Sarsaparilla. Price \$1 per bottle,  
six bottles for \$5 at Massie & Martin's, Roanoke,  
Va.

## What It Will Do:

Cure indigestion, dyspepsia, debility, weakness,  
sour stomach, nervous dyspepsia, loss of ap-  
petite. It will give strength to the system, and  
build up all waste from disease. We allude to  
that great system and nerve strengthener, Dr.  
David's Cherry and Iron Tonic Bitters. This is  
most pleasant, harmless, mild and efficacious.  
Don't injure yourself by taking prescriptions of  
strong purgative medicines. Price of Dr. David's  
Cherry and Iron Tonic Bitters is \$1 per bottle,  
six bottles for \$5 at Massie & Martin's, Roanoke,  
Va.

## FOR DYSPEPSIA.

Indigestion and stomach disorders, take  
DR. DAVID'S IRON BITTERS.  
All dealers keep it at 25¢ per bottle. Genuine has  
trade mark and crossed red lines on wrapper.

## THE TIMES KODAK.

Items of News Gathered About  
Town.

The board of supervisors of Roanoke  
county held their regular March meet-  
ing in the courthouse yesterday. After  
allowing various accounts the following  
business was transacted: The set of  
surveyors' books, with records dating  
back to the foundation of the county,  
were brought before the supervisors in  
such a dilapidated condition that the  
board expressed the opinion that the  
books should be rewritten, but the  
matter was deferred until the next  
meeting. The question of employing  
convicts to work the roads of Roanoke  
county was fully discussed by the board.  
An interesting letter was read by Major  
Ballard from Judge Brown, of Bedford  
county, on the convict question, showing  
the benefits to the county to be derived  
from their employment. On motion of  
B. F. Thomas the question was laid on  
the table. The county levy was con-  
sidered and no change was made, the  
levy therefore being the same as last  
year.

J. A. Campbell, ex-policeman, who  
has been confined in the county jail for  
lunacy, was last night taken to Marion  
asylum.

At Robert Haislip's house Friday  
morning the arrival of a son caused con-  
siderable rejoicing.

A country team belonging to John  
Hall, of Catawba, started to run off at  
noon yesterday opposite the courthouse  
but was stopped by colliding with Dr.  
Wiley's buggy, which lost both hind  
wheels in the action, the fifth accident  
to the doctor's vehicle in as many  
months.

This afternoon at 3 p. m. there will  
be a match game of baseball played on  
Roanoke College grounds between Sa-  
lem and Roanoke teams. The ladies are  
specially invited to attend.

In the county court yesterday, the  
case against Jerry Moore, colored, for  
housebreaking, was continued till next  
term on account of the negro having  
smoked himself to a shadow with cigar-  
ettes.

James I. Hunton, of Winston, a for-  
mer resident of Salem, and a nephew of  
United States Senator Hunton, is in  
town for a few days.

There are now some seven or eight  
orphans at the Lutheran Orphan Asy-  
lum, between Roanoke and Salem.

## A SMOKELESS POWDER.

Mason Leonard Submits Samples to the  
Government Which Rank High.

Mason Leonard, of West Salem, whose  
recent experiment in perfecting a  
smokeless powder have been noticed in  
these columns, has just received an  
official letter from the Ordnance Office  
of the War Department at Washington,  
giving a wonderfully gratifying report  
of tests made at the Frankfort Arsenal  
sent on March 13 by him. It will be  
remembered that the United States  
Government requires that a smokeless  
powder to be good enough for adoption  
by the army shall develop an instant  
velocity of 2,000 feet per second with a  
pressure not to exceed 38,000 pounds to  
the square inch. The following is a  
copy from the official report:

"Sample J—Six rounds, charge, 33  
grains; 230 grains bullet; average ve-  
locity, 2,057 feet; average pressure, 37,100  
pounds.

"Sample N—Five rounds, charge, 33  
grains; average velocity of 2,118 feet;  
average pressure, 41,900 pounds.

"These ballistic results are considered  
quite satisfactory, the pressures being  
low for the velocities obtained, as com-  
pared with powders previously tested.  
A larger quantity of powder is required  
to make a more thorough test, and in  
case you desire this test to be made by  
the government, you will please send  
two pounds of the powder to the com-  
manding officer of Frankfort Arsenal  
and notify this office of shipment. Res-  
pectfully,

R. BERNIE.

"Capt. Ord. Dept., U. S. A."  
After having spent many hundreds of  
dollars and nearly two years in perfect-  
ing this powder, Mr. Leonard feels that  
he has reached the goal and will now  
make up the two pounds of rifle powder  
which he will take himself about the  
middle of April to the arsenal to see  
tested, and will also carry about one  
hundred pounds of smokeless powder for  
cannon to Sandy Hook to be experi-  
mented upon there. Mr. Leonard be-  
lieves that the two pounds will give  
equally as good results as the two  
samples, in which case he will either  
sell his powder to the Government or  
to a syndicate, which has already ap-  
proached him on the matter.

## Funeral of Annie Chafin.

The funeral of Miss Annie Chafin,  
daughter of Captain Chafin, who died at  
her father's residence, No. 7 Fourth  
avenue N. E., about 7:20 o'clock Thurs-  
day night, will take place this morning  
at 10:30 at the residence. Rev. Father  
Lynch will officiate. The remains will  
be interred in the Catholic Cemetery.

## Awaiting the Decision.

The commencement of work upon the  
sewer on Railroad Avenue hangs upon  
the decision of Judge Woods in the  
Patterson case, which will be rendered  
to-day. It is probable, however, that  
work will be commenced next week.  
Work was commenced yesterday on the  
Commerce street sewer.

## Wanted.

LADIES and gentlemen suffering with  
throat and lung difficulties to call at our  
drug store for a bottle of Otto's Cure,  
which we are distributing free of charge,  
and we can confidently recommend it as  
a superior remedy for Coughs, Colds,  
Bronchitis, Consumption and all diseases  
of the throat and lungs. It will stop a  
cold quicker than any known remedy.  
We will guarantee it to cure you. If  
your children have croup or whooping  
cough it is sure to give instant relief.  
Don't delay, but get a trial bottle free.  
Large size 50c. Sold by Christian &  
Barbee.

EAGLE dairy restaurant and ice cream  
parlor, 144 Salem Avenue, best table ser-  
vice in the city. Breakfast, 25 cents;  
dinner, 35 cents; supper, 25. Parties  
served. C. T. LUKENS, proprietor.

# THE LARGEST ASSORTMENT OF HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS

In the South can be found at

**THE E. H. STEWART FURNITURE COMPANY'S.**

You will find it to your interest to give them a call before  
making your spring purchases.  
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## Theatrical Note.

A fashionably dressed lady appeared  
at the box office of the New York  
Standup theater, and said to the man at  
the window:

"I want the best seat in the house."  
"That depends on what you call the  
best seat in the house. Do you want a  
seat where you have a good view of the  
stage?"

"Not so much that as a seat where a  
person can be seen by everybody in the  
house. What do you suppose I wear  
this seventy-five dollar dress for?"—  
Texas Siftings.

## Not the Same Chance for Mercy.

Teacher—Johnnie, do you think if  
you had cut down your father's cherry-  
tree you would have told the truth  
about it?

Johnnie (slowly)—No, I don't believe  
I would.

Teacher—What! You would not tell  
a falsehood?

Johnnie (apologetically)—Well,  
mam, yer see, I don't believe Wash-  
ington's father was just the same sort  
of a feller as mine.—Harper's Bazar.

## Determined to Swim.

"Your husband has started a good  
many enterprises, I believe?"

"He has."

"How has he succeeded?"

"Failed in everything."

"Too bad!"

"But he has got hold of something  
now that will hold water, I think."

"Ah, indeed?"

"Yes; he has gone into the milk busi-  
ness."—Home Queen.

## A CASE OF HEART FAILURE.



## Too Near.

Mistress—Are you going to marry  
Dennis, Mary Ann?

Mary Ann—Oh, no, mum. He's too  
near a relation.

Mistress—Why, I didn't know that.  
How near is he?

Mary Ann—Well, you see, mum, me  
aunt married his father that wuz to be;  
an' thin me aunt doied an' his father  
married her that wuz afterwards  
his mother; so himself wud have been  
own cousin to me if me aunt hadn't  
doied.—Judge.

## Such Extravagance.

"The boiler for the new water works  
is down at the station," said Mr. Spink,  
of Lenoirville, to his wife.

"You don't mean to tell me," de-  
manded Mrs. Spink, "that the extrava-  
gant authorities of this town are going  
to supply hot water to the public?"—  
Des Moines Argonaut.

## A Great Success.

Briggs—How are you getting on as a  
travelerman?

Trainmaker—Splendid.

Briggs—Boys all like you?

Trainmaker—Like me! I should say  
so. Why, old man, my expenses this  
trip were just double what they were  
last.—Life.

## Chance for Herism.

Adorer (anxiously)—What did your  
father say?

Sweet Girl—Oh, he got so angry I was  
afraid to stay and listen. He's in a per-  
fectly terrible rage. Go in an' appease  
him.—N. Y. Weekly.

## The Deterrent.

Primus—Molloy says the thought of  
his honor prevented his using the funds  
of the bank.

Secundus—His honor? Yes, yes; I  
see—the judge on the bench.—Judge.

## Didn't Escape.

Inspector (at the penitentiary)—I un-  
derstand that measles broke out three  
days ago.

Warden—Yes; but the guards caught  
them!—Puck.

## Philosophies.

A.—When a man tries to borrow  
money from a friend, that is experi-  
mental philosophy.

B.—Yes; and when the friend refuses,  
that is natural philosophy.—Truth.

## What Blinds Him.

Mrs. Darley—George, dear, why is  
love said to be blind?

Mr. Darley—Because he has had the  
wool pulled over his eyes so often.—De-  
troit Free Press.

## A Small Affair.

Office Boy—The bookkeeper kicked  
me, sir.

Employer—Well, you don't expect me  
to have time to attend to all these little  
details?—Judge.

## Statesmanship.

Little clumps of whisker,  
Little seeds of hay,  
Often make the statesman  
Of the present day.

## He Thought So.

Druggist—Did old man Graylocks'  
wife die last night?

Clerk—I suppose so. He sent down  
this morning for some hair dye.—Juve.

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No. 7 Campbell street S. W., Roanoke.  
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Has moved his office over Lyle's drug  
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Calls answered in city or out of city. De-  
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**B. L. WINNER, Manager.**

Leading hotel of Southwest  
Virginia.

Convenient to depots and busi-  
ness section.

The model house of the Nor-  
folk and Western system.

**WALL PAPERS**

The most complete set of samples and instructions  
for the use of the best quality of wall paper in the U. S.  
We have the largest and best selected stock in the U. S.  
It will pay you to see our samples before purchasing.  
CHAS. H. N. KILLEN, 411 & 413 So. 20th St. PHILA.

# REASONS

Why You Should Advertise in

# THE ROANOKE TIMES

## CIRCULATION.

It has the largest circulation of any daily in  
Virginia west of Richmond.

## SIZE.

It is the largest daily in Virginia—eight  
pages, forty-eight columns.

## NUMBER OF ADVERTISEMENTS.

It prints a larger number of advertisements  
than any daily south of the Potomac and east  
of the Mississippi, three only excepted.

## PATRONAGE.

It prints a larger number of advertisements  
than any other daily printed in a city of 25,000  
inhabitants in America.

## A CHALLENGE.

It challenges comparison with any daily in  
America printed in a city of 25,000.

## THE BIG FOUR.

Coal, Iron, Timber, Blue Grass.

# REASONS

Why You Do Not Advertise in THE ROANOKE TIMES:

BECAUSE you don't know that Southwest Virginia has  
within ten years grown 200,000 in population and received

EIGHTY MILLION DOLLARS

of foreign capital.

BECAUSE you don't know that THE TIMES is the repre-  
sentative organ of that population and that capital.

BECAUSE you don't know that this new population pre-  
sents the most fertile advertising field in America.